

AREF FutureGen Educational Series 2022 The Fund Lifecycle Revisited

Event 3: Deployment of a Fund

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FutureGen Welcome

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Introduction

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Agenda for today

09.00	Event start	
09.00	FutureGen welcome - Clare Grimes, Octopus Real Estate	
09.05	Welcome and introduction - Sukhvinder Chana, Carey Olsen	
09.05	Deployment of a Fund	
	Presentation from	
	 Sarah Cockburn, Head of Real Estate Solutions (UK), Schroders Robin Hubbard, Head of Real Estate Capital Formation, Schroders Capital 	
09.45	- Sarah Cockburn, Head of Real Estate Solutions (UK), Schroders	







Today's speaker



Sarah Cockburn

Head of Real Estate Solutions (UK),
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Robin Hubbard

Head of Real Estate Capital Formation at
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Sarah Cockburn

Head of Real Estate Solutions (UK), Schroders

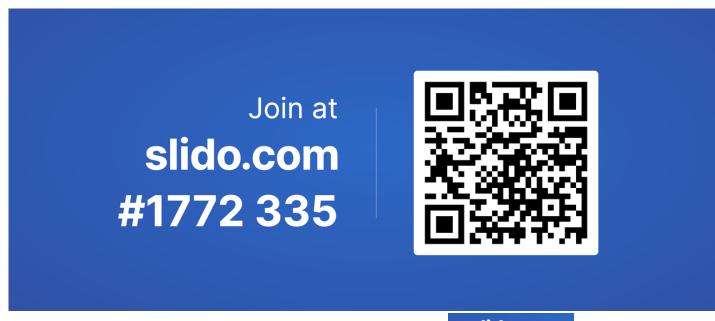






Poll Question

When creating a new fund product, the most important consideration is?





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What is a Real Estate Fund?

"A Fund is when multiple clients pool in a structure to invest in multiple assets"







Launch and Deployment of a Real Estate Fund

Key stages to launching and deployment of a Real Estate Fund

1. Planning / Development Phase

- Strategy
- Investors
- Structure
- Advisors (Fund and Property)
- Approvals

3. Deployment and running your fund

- Investment Period
- Drawdowns and deployment
- Stock selection
- Debt
- Client reporting & Presentations
- LPACs / IAC's

2. Capital Raising

- Check documents completed and regulatory approvals obtained
- Soft marketing
- Investor presentations and pitch books
- PPM's and other fund documents complete
- Onboarding investors

The planning phase - first things first!

The Client / Target Investors

- Who are they likely to be?
- What type of investors?
- Do you have seed money or a cornerstone investor?
- What are their return requirements?
- Risk profile?
- Are there any deal breakers for this type of client?

The Strategy

- What is the USP?
- Are you creating a solution for a client or have you got a great idea you want to raise capital for?
- Who are your competitors?
- Other funds out there?



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What do you need to consider?

- 1. Investors who are they and do you have a cornerstone investor or seed capital?
- 2. Strategy, target return and fund terms
- 3. Advisors appointments
- 4. Structure open or closed ended?
- 5. Fund terms and fees appropriate for the strategy and investors
- 6. Debt
- 7. Liquidity / Exit provisions
- 8. Regulatory approvals (and internal business approvals)







What do investors focus on?

- 1.Strategy
- 2.Returns
- 3. Team and track record must be credible
- 4. ESG essential
- 5. Fees
- 6. Manager and governance
- 7. Liquidity / Exit provisions





Before launch you need:

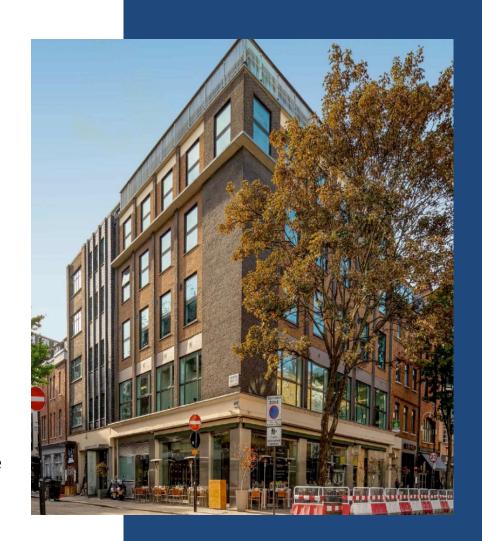
- 1.Completed documents
 - i. PPM
 - ii. Pitch book / marketing materials
 - iii. Fund documents
 - iv. Property level appointments
 - v. Subscription agreements
- 2. Tax, Legal and other advice all complete
- 3. Any Regulatory Approvals





Case Study: Social Supported Housing Fund (SoHo)

- Fund: 5 year closed end fund English Limited Partnership
- STRATEGY: Development strategy focussed on social supported housing for adults with life long care needs. Leases backed by the government.
- RETURN: Target 10% + over the Fund life
- MANAGER: Schroders are Fund Manager partnering with Civitas as Property Adviser
- TRACK RECORD: Highly skilled team with extensive experience investing in social supported housing
- Fees: Base fee with a Performance fee
- ESG: Strong Social Impact credentials. ESG in line with Schroders Sustainability Policy and Net Zero Commitment
- Gearing: up to 40%
- Structure: ELP Closed-end Fund established 2020 with five year life with two, one year extensions



Key Terms

Domicile and Legal Structure	Closed-end English Limited Partnership, with an Exempt Unauthorised Unit Trust (EUUT) feeder
Fund Size	£200 million equity
Investment Strategy	Value add
	Maximum 5% of GAV in a single asset
Investment Guidelines	Maximum 20% of GAV in a single local authority area
	Maximum 10% exposure to single tenant
Leverage	Maximum leverage of 40% LTV
Target Returns	Targeting a geared IRR of 10% per annum net of all fees over the Fund life
Term	5 year fund life from first close with two one year extensions if required
Investment Period	30 months from first close
Manager	Schroders Capital
Property Adviser	Civitas
Fees	Base fee of 1.25% pa of NAV. Performance fee (carry) of 20% over 8% hurdle
Reporting	Quarterly investment report. Annual Report and Accounts
Valuation	Quarterly independent valuation in accordance with RICS standards



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What to Consider when Marketing a Fund

Capital Raising & Deployment - Key considerations

- Market testing / soft marketing
- Fund Documents / Pitch Books / PPM's
- First close, Second close etc
- Equalisation
- Raising capital and Drawing Client Money
- Fund model monitoring returns
- Subscriptions
- Deployment

Investor Negotiations - key points

- Fees (management / performance)
- "Waterfall"/returns provisions
- Set up and ongoing costs and responsibilities
- Key person/key advisor

- Access to information/reporting
- Investor "involvement"
- Divestment strategy/process
- Co-investment opportunities
- Corporate governance







Running a Fund

Up and Running! - Key considerations

Once the Fund is launched, you need to focus on the following:

- 1.Investment Period building up your assets
- 2. Client Communication / Quarterly Investor reporting
- 3. Any changes require an EGM?
- 4.LPAC/IAC
- 5.Debt management







Deploying Capital - other considerations

- Ensure the target assets fit within the investment strategy/objective of the fund
- Payment structure
 - Cash, management participation, earn-outs, options, deferred payments
- Funding flow
 - Equity/debt split
- Anticipate the exit (if closed-ended), Liquidity management (if open ended)
 - Individual asset sales, portfolio sale, auction, IPO









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Thank you for attending





